grams of thiamine (vitamin  $B_1$ ), less than 1.2 milligrams of riboflavin, and less than 13.0 milligrams of iron, per pound; and, Section 403 (a), the label statements "Enriched 8 ounces of this Enriched Flour contain not less than the following proportions of the minimum daily requirements of Vitamin  $B_1$  100%, Riboflavin 30%, Iron 65%" were false and misleading in that 8 ounces of the product contained less than 100% of the minimum daily requirements for vitamin  $B_1$ , less than 30% of the minimum daily requirements for riboflavin, and less than 65% of the minimum daily requirements for iron.

Disposition: April 16, 1951. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$200 and placed the defendant on probation of 1 year.

## MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS

17264. Adulteration of shelled corn. U. S. v. 277,200 Pounds \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 29948. Sample Nos. 69247-K to 69249-K, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: October 20, 1950, Western District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 2, 1950, by the Stratton Grain Co., from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 277,200 pounds of shelled corn at Buffalo, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (2), the article contained an added poisonous and deleterious substance, namely, tetramethylthiuramdisulfide, which is unsafe within the meaning of the Act since it is a substance not required in the production of the article and can be avoided by good manufacturing practice.

DISPOSITION: March 5, 1951. Clarke Hybrid Corn Co., Inc., Conrad, Iowa, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. 27,067 pounds of the product were found unfit and were destroyed, and the remainder of the product was labeled to show that it had been treated with "Arasan" and was not for human consumption.

17265. Adulteration of unpopped popcorn. U. S. v. 96 Unlabeled Bags \* \* \* (F. D. C. No. 29529. Sample No. 60591-K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 28, 1950, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 31, 1950, by R. S. Doty, from Pendleton, Ind.

PRODUCT: 96 unlabeled bags, each containing 100 pounds, of unpopped popcorn at Chicago, Ill.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects and insect-damaged kernels.

DISPOSITION: September 6, 1950. A. B. C. Popcorn Co., Inc., Chicago, Ill., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for reconditioning, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. After unsuccessful attempts to eliminate the insects and insect-damaged kernels from the product, the court entered an order on February 28, 1951, directing that the product be destroyed or denatured for use as animal feed. The product was disposed of in the latter manner.